# COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH OVERSIGHT DIVISION

## FISCAL NOTE

<u>L.R. No.</u>: 3252-04

Bill No.: Perfected HS for HCS for HJR 35

Subject: Constitutional Amendments: Agriculture and Animals

<u>Type</u>: Original

<u>Date</u>: March 31, 2004

# **FISCAL SUMMARY**

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON GENERAL REVENUE FUND				
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2005	FY 2006	FY 2007	
General Revenue	(\$36,840)	\$0	\$0	
Total Estimated Net Effect on General Revenue Fund	(\$36,840)	\$0	\$0	

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON STATE FUNDS				
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2005	FY 2006	FY 2007	
Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>All</u> State Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0	

Numbers within parentheses: ( ) indicate costs or losses.

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ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON FEDERAL FUNDS				
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2005	FY 2006	FY 2007	
Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>All</u>				
Federal Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0	

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON LOCAL FUNDS			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2005	FY 2006	FY 2007
<b>Local Government</b>	\$0	\$0	\$0

### FISCAL ANALYSIS

## **ASSUMPTION**

Officials from the **Office of the Secretary of State** assume that statewide newspaper publication of state statutes cost approximately \$1,228 per column inch based on an estimate provided by the Missouri Press Service. Since three printings are required, the cost is  $$1,228 \times 3 = $3,6845$  per column inch. The estimated total number of inches for this amendment is 10 inches including title header and certification paragraph, therefore the total estimated publication cost is  $$3,684 \times 10$  inches = \$36,840. The proposal will be on the ballot at the 2004 general election.

Officials from the **Department of Natural Resources (DNR)**, the **Department of Conservation (MDC)**, and the **Department of Agriculture (AGR)** assumed, in response to similar proposals, that this proposal would have no direct impact on their organizations.

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FISCAL IMPACT - State Government	FY 2005	FY 2006	FY 2007
GENERAL REVENUE FUND			
Cost to Secretary of State Newspaper Advertisements	<u>(\$36,840)</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>
ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON GENERAL REVENUE FUND	<u>(\$36,840)</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>
FISCAL IMPACT - Local Government	FY 2005	FY 2006	FY 2007
	<u><b>\$0</b></u>	<u><b>\$0</b></u>	<u>\$0</u>

## FISCAL IMPACT - Small Business

No direct fiscal impact to small businesses would be expected as a result of this proposal.

## **DESCRIPTION**

This proposal would submit to the voters of the state a constitutional amendment requiring a two-thirds majority vote for approval of initiatives relating to the opportunity to harvest fish, wildlife or forestry resources, except for initiatives concerning amending or repeal of the Conservation Sales Tax.

This legislation is not federally mandated, would not duplicate any other program and would not require additional capital improvements or rental space. The proposal would not affect Total State Revenues.

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# **SOURCES OF INFORMATION**

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